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**Linnea R. Johnson**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Georgia BA; Stetson 1971 JD  
 Began Service: 1987

**Government:** Assistant Public Defender, Office of the Public Defender,  
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**Ann E. Vitunac**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
 Education: Florida 1970 BS; Stetson 1972 JD

**Government:** Chief Trial Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of  
 Florida (1973-1985)

**Current Memberships:** The Craig S. Bernard American Inn of Court, The  
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**Stephen T. Brown**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
 Education: Florida State 1968 BS; Miami 1972 JD  
 Began Service: March 18, 1991  
 Term Expires: March 17, 2015

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, University of Miami (1983-1984)

**Legal Practice:** Preddy, Kutner & Hardy (1972-1977); Partner, Preddy,  
 Kutner, Hardy, Rubinoff, Brown & Thompson (1977-1991)

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**Barry S. Seltzer**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1954  
 Education: Hamilton 1976 BA; NYU 1980 MBA, 1980 JD, 1984 LLM  
 Began Service: March 19, 1991  
 Term Expires: March 18, 2015

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of  
 Florida, United States Department of Justice (1984-1988)

**Judicial:** Judge, Broward County Court (1988-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Treman, Simmons, Kemker, Scharf, Barkin, Frye & O'Neill  
 (1980-1982)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Stephen R. Boober  
 American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; B'nai B'rith Justice  
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**Barry L. Garber**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1930  
 Education: Emory 1951 AB; Miami 1954 JD  
 Began Service: September 13, 1991  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat



**Government:** Assistant State Attorney, Dade County, State of Florida  
 (1957-1959); Special Counsel, Commerce Committee, Florida Legislature  
 (1968); Grand Jury Special Counsel, Office of the State Attorney (11th  
 Judicial Circuit of Florida), Dade County, Florida (1972)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Garber & Chadroff (1959-1972); Sole Practitioner  
 (1972-1974); Partner, Garber & Buoniconti (1974-1984); Partner, Dubbin,  
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**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The American Inns of  
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**Frank J. Lynch, Jr.**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
 Education: Loyola (New Orleans) 1973 BA, 1976 JD  
 Began Service: April 1, 1995  
 Term Expires: 2011

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**Andrea M. Simonton**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
 Education: Miami 1978 JD  
 Began Service: April 1, 1999  
 Term Expires: March 31, 2015

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**John J. O'Sullivan**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1956  
 Education: Miami 1985 JD  
 Term Expires: March 30, 2015  
 Military: CPA

**Government:** Criminal Division Chief, Florida - Southern District,  
 Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of  
 Justice (1986-1999); Deputy Independent Counsel, United States Office of  
 the Independent Counsel (1995-1996)

**Legal Practice:** Fowler White et al. (1985-1986)

**Current Memberships:** The Spellman-Hoeveler American Inn of Court,  
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**James M. Hopkins**  
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: October 2003  
 Term Expires: 2011

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**Chambers of Magistrate Judge Edwin G. Torres**

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**Edwin G. Torres**  
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: 2003  
 Term Expires: 2011

**Staff**

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